Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 17 Dec 2023 until 23:59 on Monday 18 Dec 2023

Forecast Issued on Saturday 16 Dec 2023 at 14:24

Confidence: High confidence for general weather pattern, lower for rainfall detail by Tuesday.

Headline for Sunday 17 Dec 2023: Cloudy and windy with drizzle at times.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 17 Dec 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Dull	Dull	Dull	Drizzle	Dull	Drizzle	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
30%	30%	30%	40%	30%	40%	20%	20%

Forecast for Sunday 17 Dec 2023

Weather: Low cloud will linger throughout the day with outbreaks of light rain or drizzle at times. Drier into the evening with perhaps some breaks in the cloud. Strong winds throughout.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 10-20%

Low cloud and visibility: Broken or overcast low cloud base 500-700m throughout. Visibility good at low levels but poor in hill fog.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	27/35 SW	29/37 SW	30/38 SW	28/36 SW	27/37 SW	26/36 SW	25/35 SW	25/36 SW	25/35 SW
300	14/29 SW	17/33 SW	16/32 SW	15/30 SW	17/32 SW	16/31 SW	15/29 SW	15/29 SW	15/30 SW
Valley	13/27 SW	13/29 SW	13/29 SW	15/30 SW	16/33 SW	14/30 SW	13/28 SW	13/28 SW	13/28 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/1	5/-0	5/-1	5/-1	6/1	6/1	6/1	6/1	6/2
300	8/5	7/3	7/3	7/3	8/4	8/5	8/5	9/5	9/5
Valley	9/6	8/5	8/4	8/4	9/5	9/6	9/6	9/6	9/6
Freezing Level*	2100m	2000m	2200m	2100m	2000m	2000m	2000m	2100m	2100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling cold at height in strong winds.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Sat 16 Dec 2023	1.2mm	1.2mm	3.4mm

Forecast for Monday 18 Dec 2023

Weather: Another cloudy day with outbreaks of rain, turning heavier for a time through the middle part of the day, becoming light and patchy into the evening.

Maximum wind: Southwest 15-20 mph gusting 30-40 mph, easing through the day.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20-30%

Low cloud and visibility: Broken low cloud base 500-700m. Visibility moderate or poor in rain and hill fog, best of the conditions in the east.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 9 to 12 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 5 to 8 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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